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In re application of :  
Kenji TAGAWA et al. : Confirmation No. 7230  
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MOBILE PHONE WITH MUSIC  
REPRODUCTION FUNCTION, MUSIC  
DATA REPRODUCTION METHOD BY  
MOBILE PHONE WITH MUSIC  
REPRODUCTION FUNCTION,  
AND THE PROGRAM THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent Application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-16, 18-22, 29-33 and 35-36 without prejudice thereto.

Please amend claims 17, 23-26, 34 and 37 as follows.

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a/ 17. (Amended) A mobile phone with music reproduction function, said mobile phone comprising:  
a reproduction unit operable to reproduce music data which is recorded in a recording medium;  
a stop unit operable to temporarily stop reproduction by said reproduction unit;  
a resume method storage unit operable to store information indicating at least one reproduction resume method; and